

# COVID-19 Resources and Health Order Updates - April 23, 2021



1) We have moved to the Yellow (Low) Risk Level. Read the <u>press release</u> and view the <u>infographic</u> to learn more.

### 2) Updated Statistics:

- Between April 9, 2021 and April 22, 2021 Teton County detected 60 new cases. This is a 39% decrease from the previous two-week period.
- 2.67% of COVID-19 tests in the past two weeks were positive.
- 62% of cases in the past two weeks have been due to community spread.
- As of 4/22/2021, there were 37 known active cases in Teton County.
- Statistics overview

#### 3) Health Orders and Recommendations:

- Statewide Health Orders
  - o In effect April 16, 2021 through April 30, 2021
    - 1. The <u>25th Continuation of Order #1</u>: Conditions of operation for establishments including child care facilities, K-12 schools, colleges, universities, and trade schools.
    - 2. The <u>25th Continuation of Order #2</u>: Gathering size limitations.

# Teton County Health Orders

- o In effect Saturday, April 17, 2021 through Monday, May 17, 2021
- Teton County Public Health Order First Continuation #21-3 Requiring Individuals within Teton County, Wyoming to wear face coverings in certain places, with exceptions.
- o **If you are a food service venue**, please review #7c of the Teton County Mask order, which states:
  - 7.) A Face Covering is <u>no</u>t required under the following circumstances:
  - c.) When a person is seated at a table of a restaurant or other food service venue, the person is separated by at least 6 feet from other patrons at other tables, and no more than 10 people in total are seated at the table. If more than 10 individuals are seated at the table, but all individuals are members of the same household, this exception applies. This exception also applies if a person is seated at a booth. However, individuals shall wear a face covering while entering, exiting, or otherwise moving about the establishment.

## • COVID -19 Guidance

- In the absence of COVID regulations for some sectors, the Teton County Health Department recommends that businesses and organizations follow COVID-19 guidance as developed by the United States Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC). Teton County Health Department has summarized the guidance for various sectors:
  - COVID-19 Guidance for Retail Businesses
  - COVID-19 Guidance for Hotels, Resorts and Lodges
  - COVID-19 Guidance for <u>Restaurants and Bars</u>
  - COVID-19 Guidance for Gyms, Fitness Centers, Pools and Hot Tubs
  - COVID-19 Guidance for <u>Gatherings and Events</u>
- <u>Federal Mask Mandate</u> for federal buildings and federal lands. Learn more <u>here</u>.
- Mask Mandate on Public Transportation

4) **Surveillance testing** is still very important since it catches asymptomatic positives and can decrease the spread of COVID-19 within your business. If you have <u>Vault tests</u> on hand, use them. If you want to sign up for <u>Curative</u> Surveillance Testing, click <u>here</u>. If your business is already signed up, please encourage your staff to get tested when offered the opportunity.

#### 5) Extra VAULT COVID-19 Tests?

• Does your business have a bunch of extra Vault tests laying around that you ordered for surveillance testing but have decided not to use them? If so, please email me (<a href="mailto:Ashley.cassat@wyo.gov">Ashley.cassat@wyo.gov</a>). We can reassign the tests and distribute them to others that need them.

### 6) Business Employee Vaccine Survey:

 Help us help you! We are currently gathering information on vaccination levels amongst businesses and staff in Teton County. Please complete this <u>short (5 minute) survey</u> so we can learn how many of your staff have gotten the vaccine already, as well as how best to support your business and your incoming seasonal workers as we head into summer. Thank you to those that have already filled out the survey.

### 7) COVID-19 Vaccine Update:

- Please encourage your employees to get the COVID-19 vaccine.
  - o To view talking points, click here.
  - o <u>Post this flyer</u> in your business for your employees to learn more about vaccines.
- Vaccine Appointments are OPEN for all individuals 16+ who live or work in Teton County, WY
  - Book an appointment <u>at this link</u>.
  - Now accepting walk-ins for either the first dose or second dose on Tuesday, Thursday and Friday from 8:30-11:30AM for the Pfizer vaccine! Located at the previous Kmart/future Target on US-HWY 89
  - For ongoing and general clinic information, visit <u>www.tetoncountywy.gov/covidvax</u> for frequent updates.
- Call our COVID hotline at 307-732-8628 option 1 between 9AM-4PM Monday-Friday to get assistance or you can email <a href="mailto:covidvax@tetoncountywy.gov">covidvax@tetoncountywy.gov</a> if you have questions.
- Community members can also book vaccine appointments at <u>Albertson's</u> and <u>Smith's</u> Pharmacies. Both
  Pharmacies have Moderna Vaccine and can accommodate both 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> doses. Reach out to them
  directly to schedule your appointment.

# 8) Fully Vaccinated Persons and Quarantine Policy:

The Wyoming Department of Health has adopted the CDC's recommendations for fully vaccinated persons to quarantine after an exposure to COVID-19. The new guidance can be found on this <u>page</u>.

- Vaccinated persons with an exposure to someone with confirmed or suspected COVID-19 are not required to quarantine if they meet <u>all</u> of the following criteria:
  - Are fully vaccinated (it has been at least 2 weeks following receipt of the second dose in a 2dose series (Pfizer or Moderna) or at least 2 weeks following receipt of 1 dose Janssen (Johnson & Johnson) vaccine
  - Have remained asymptomatic since the current COVID-19 exposure
- Individuals who meet the above criteria should still monitor themselves for symptoms for 14 days after exposure and isolate and seek medical attention if symptoms develop.
- If the vaccinated person begins to have symptoms, they must quarantine/isolate, test and seek medical attention.
- Vaccinated persons should continue to follow current guidance to protect themselves and others, including wearing a mask, staying at least 6 feet away from others, avoiding crowds, avoiding poorly ventilated spaces, covering coughs and sneezes, washing hands often, following <a href="CDC travel guidance">CDC travel guidance</a>, and following any applicable workplace or school guidance, including guidance related to personal protective equipment use or SARS-CoV-2 testing.

# 9) Stay in the Know:

- To learn more about the COVID-19 metrics, community spread and the variants, check out our Youtube page to hear from Teton County Health Department's Epidemiologist in our <u>Behind the Graph Videos</u>.
- Questions about the **COVID-19 Vaccine**? Check out our <u>vaccine webpage</u> or email your questions to <u>covidvax@tetoncountywy.gov</u>.
- Subscribe to the <u>Shred the Spread Newsletter</u> to see the latest stats, resources, and more. Stay informed and help #ShredtheSpread of COVID-19.
- Sign up for **weekly COVID-19 updates** through Nixle Text TC\_COVID to 888777. Envíe TC\_COVID 888777 y resonda ESP.